



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

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Endangered Species; Issuance of Permits

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of issuance of permits.

SUMMARY: We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service), have issued the following permits to conduct certain activities with endangered species. We issue these permits under the Endangered Species Act (ESA).

ADDRESSES: Information about the applications for the permits listed in this notice is available online at <https://www.regulations.gov>. See **SUPPLEMENTARY**

INFORMATION for details.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Brenda Tapia, by phone at 703-358-2185 or via email at DMAFR@fws.gov. Individuals in the United States who are deaf, deafblind, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability may dial 711 (TTY, TDD, or TeleBraille) to access telecommunications relay services. Individuals outside the United States should use the relay services offered within their country to make international calls to the point-of-contact in the United States.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service), have issued permits to conduct certain activities with endangered and threatened species in response to permit applications that we received under the authority of section 10(a)(1)(A) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (ESA; 16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*)

After considering the information submitted with each permit application and the public comments received, we issued the requested permits subject to certain conditions

set forth in each permit. For each application for an endangered species, we found that (1) the application was filed in good faith, (2) the granted permit would not operate to the disadvantage of the endangered species, and (3) the granted permit would be consistent with the purposes and policy set forth in section 2 of the ESA.

Availability of Documents

The permittees' original permit application materials, along with public comments we received during public comment periods for the applications, are available for review.

To locate the application materials and received comments, go to

<https://www.regulations.gov> and search for the appropriate permit number (e.g., 12345C) provided in the following table:

Permit No.	ePermit No.	Applicant	Permit issuance date
75752D		Memphis Zoo	May 18, 2021
56444D		National Museum of Natural History, Smithsonian Institution	June 4, 2021
69710D		Virginia Zoological Park	June 8, 2021
71028D		National Aviary in Pittsburgh	June 11, 2021
75498D		University of Oklahoma	June 15, 2021
12767D		Duke University Lemur Center	August 13, 2021
77243D		University of Michigan Museum of Zoology	August 19, 2021
42009B		Wright Family LLC, dba J Bar J Ranch	September 7, 2021
42018B		Wright Family LLC, dba J Bar J Ranch	September 7, 2021
62698C		Saint Louis Zoo	March 11, 2021
11160C		University of Texas Austin	November 21, 2021
693112	PER0019239	University of Michigan Herbarium and Museum of Zoology	November 29, 2021
77262D		Henry Vilas Zoo	December 3, 2021
71365D		Caldwell Zoo	December 3, 2021

77904D		Point Defiance Zoo and Aquarium	December 20, 2021
49623B		Binder Park Zoo	December 21, 2021
51221D		American Museum of Natural History	December 22, 2021

Authorities

We issue this notice under the authority of the Endangered Species Act, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*), and their implementing regulations.

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